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Docket No.: 043890-0477

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Application of

Customer Number: 20277

Toshiyuki KORI, et al.

Confirmation Number: 5717

Application No.: 09/744,395

Tech Center Art Unit: 2621

Filed: April 11, 2001

Examiner: BOCCIO, Vincent F.

For: IMAGE SWITCHING DEVICE AND IMAGE OUTPUTTING DEVICE

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated June 29, 2006 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 2 and 4-12.

Appeal Fee: \$500.00

Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).

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To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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